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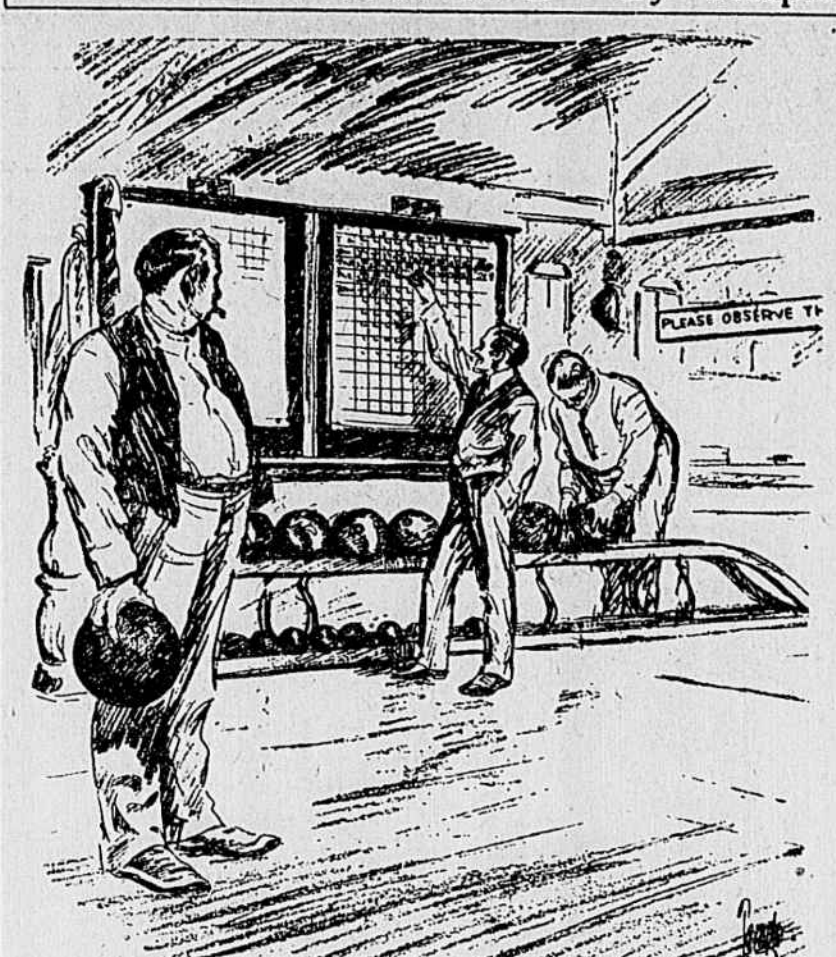
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"How Does He Do It?"

TWELVE ARCHITECTS ENTER COMPETITION

Sealed Designs Are Submitted for Proposed New Municipal Building.

WILL BE EXAMINED BY BOSSOM

Consulting Expert Will Sit With Council Committee in Making Awards—Two Local Men Drop Out of Competition.

Twelve architects filed designs for the proposed new municipal building yesterday with Clerk of Council Committee McDowell. The competition closed at 12 o'clock noon. Alfred C. Bosson, of New York, the municipal building committee's professional advisor, will come to Richmond the end of this week to take up with the committee the task of judging the drawings that have been submitted.

The special joint committee on the proposed municipal building met at 5:30 o'clock last night to receive the plans, and spent the better part of two hours discussing their disposition. Every member of the committee was present.

President Peters, of the Common Council, moved that the committee proceed at once to open the unmarked packages submitted by the architects and examine the drawings. The motion provoked an extended debate, the committee dividing on the question of the appropriateness of such a procedure.

PLANS TO BE EXAMINED BY ADVISORY ARCHITECT

Councilman Jones, of Madison Ward, directed attention to sections 29 and 30 of the program, which expressly provide that the drawings, after being numbered by Mr. McDowell, shall first be examined by Advisory Architect Bosson, who shall ascertain if all the regulations have been adhered to. It was clearly not intended, he thought, that the committee should at this time go into an examination of the designs.

This view was supported by a majority of the committee, and Mr. Peters finally withdrew his motion. It was renewed, however, by President Adams, of the Board of Aldermen, who could see no propriety in the committee taking a look at the drawings which it will sooner or later be called upon, in conjunction with the Advisory Architect, to judge. Before the motion could be put to a vote the committee adjourned to adjourn, and the drawings were left unopened.

Following out the directions of the program, Mr. McDowell will proceed at once to number each of the drawings received, placing a duplicate number on the plain sealed envelope accompanying each set of drawings, containing the name of the author. The envelopes will remain unopened until the drawings are judged, and the three prize winners decided upon, when they will be opened for the purpose of ascertaining the names of the winning architects.

Chairman Seaton presented a letter from Mr. Bosson, indicating his intention to come to Richmond towards the end of this week for the purpose of examining the designs. It is probable that the committee will be called to meet at the same time.

In response to the committee's invitation to the architects of the city, nineteen had made application for program, and indicated their intention to compete. The returns yesterday showed that seven had for one reason or another failed to enter the competition.

TWO LOCAL MEN DROP OUT OF COMPETITION

A communication was read from Architect Charles E. Bryant expressing his regret that the press of other duties had prevented him from preparing plans. A. P. Catesby Jones, associated with Clinton & Russell, architects, of New York, sent a similar letter of regret.

Alderman Barton H. Grundy presented a letter from Thomas S. Wheelwright, vice-president and general manager of the Old Dominion Iron and Nail Works, offering to give the city free use of the company's granite quarry with no charge for the stone, if it should be considered in the plan of using Indiana limestone in the new municipal building and order the use of Virginia granite.

While the company has taken no formal action in the matter, Mr. Wheelwright wrote, he has discussed it with several of the directors, all of whom have expressed their willingness to turn over the company's quarry and machinery to the city, making no charge, except for the power required to operate it. The committee ordered the communication filed, and instructed the clerk to acknowledge receipt of the offer, without taking further action on it at this time.

MAYOR SIGNS BOND ISSUE ORDINANCE

Funds Provided for Extensive Improvements in Annexed Territory.

NEW WARD LINES APPROVED

School Board to Secure Plans for \$100,000 Building in South Richmond and for New Oakwood School—Other Ordinances Passed.

Mayor Ainslie signed and returned to City Clerk August yesterday a large number of ordinances carrying appropriations for the emergency annexation needs of the several city departments. Most of the measures made law by his signature were ordinances originating in the Finance Committee.

The measure of ranking importance is an ordinance authorizing a \$234,420 issue of 5 per cent city bonds, the proceeds from the sale of which are to be used exclusively for permanent improvements in the newly annexed territory. The issue is to run for thirty-four years. It is the purpose of the Finance Committee to sell the bonds in the city from time to time, as the need of the money arises.

Ordinance of a non-financial character provide for a redistricting of the enlarged city into four new wards, and direct the City Attorney, on behalf of the city of Richmond, to institute proceedings to test the constitutionality of the rolling stock law passed by the recent General Assembly.

MAYOR APPROVES ANNEXATION APPROPRIATIONS

Among the measures that received the Mayor's signature were the following:

Appropriating \$1,000 for City Electric Plant expenses; \$10,000 for the payment of damages arising from street grading; \$16,190 for school salaries in the annexed territory; \$1,200 for the Committee on Advertising and Enterprisers; \$5,000 for beginning a survey of the annexed territory; \$2,000 for repairs to the John B. Cary and Fairmount Schools; \$2,000 for Police Department expenses; \$3,000 for the immediate annexation needs of the Fire Department; \$5,000 for the Water Department, annexed territory, and \$2,681.25 for the immediate annexation needs of the Fire Department.

Authorizing the School Board to secure plans for the proposed new Baltimore School, to cost not more than \$100,000.

Transferring from the Public School Buildings and Sites Fund \$32,420 to a new account for the construction of the new Bacon Oakwood School, the remainder of the money needed to be provided in next year's budget.

Refunding to the Salvation Army \$20 paid by it for the use of the City Auditorium on the occasion of the lecture of Commander Eva Booth.

Held for North Carolina Police. The case against Arthur Williams, charged with being a fugitive from justice in North Carolina, was yesterday continued until November 25 in the Police Court.

Annual meeting stockholders Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, Byrd Station, at 11 o'clock.

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MASKED BURGLARS FAIL TO GET CASH

Mrs. Kaminsky's Screams Alarm Neighborhood, and Robbers Flee.

HOLD-UP CAREFULLY PLANNED

Gas Lamps in Vicinity Had Been Extinguished, Leaving Streets in Darkness.

Masked burglars last night attempted one of the boldest hold-ups which has been reported to the police this winter. They appeared at Joe Kaminsky's store, 730 Catherine Street, about 8 o'clock, and one of the men suddenly leveled a pair of revolvers at the proprietor's head, while the other started for the cash drawer. "I'll make a slave of your head if you move," the man with the revolvers said to have informed Kaminsky. Kaminsky stood still. Not so Mrs. Kaminsky, however. She had been in a room at the rear of the store when she heard the men enter, and appeared on the door in time to hear the remark. She ran to a rear door and began to scream at the top of her voice.

The man who had started for the cash drawer found difficulty in opening it, and as his alarm, caused by Mrs. Kaminsky's screams, increased, so also did his clumsy efforts to force open the door. His partner held his ground firmly and never moved from guarding Kaminsky.

WOMAN'S SCREAMS ALARM NEIGHBORHOOD

But the neighborhood had been alarmed, and several persons living in the vicinity were hurrying to the store. The bandits heard them outside, and rather than be caught in the act, gave up their efforts to secure the money kept in the store.

They backed out of the house, still keeping their pistols handy and wearing their masks so that none of those outside were able to recognize them. The crowd was unable to interfere, and both men made their escape without any attempt being made to detain them. They were unsuccessful in stealing anything, though.

A report put out by the Second Precinct Station, and Patrolman Smith was dispatched to the scene. He was unable to secure a description of the men, but it is known positively that they were negroes. Patrolman Smith said last night that the hold-up had evidently been carefully planned, and that three gas lights in the vicinity had been put out by the men before they entered the store. The absence of the lights left the neighborhood in almost inky darkness.

CHARGED WITH HOLDING UP AND ROBBING COLORED MAN

James Hurton Sent On to Grand Jury. Ancient Gun Held as Evidence.

Charged with holding up and robbing Estus Moody, colored, of \$12.50, James Burton, colored, was sent on to the grand jury yesterday morning after a hearing before Magistrate T. J. Puryear, of Henrico County. On a charge of trespassing on the property of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, Burton was sentenced to serve a term of thirty days in the County Jail.

Late yesterday, on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, near Westham, Burton, armed with an antiquated muzzle-loading shotgun, is alleged to have held up Moody and relieved him of his money. Apparently disappointed with the small amount of his loot, Burton is alleged to have shot at Moody after he had already robbed him. The negro was arrested shortly after the hold-up and brought to the County Jail, where he was held in the highwayman's cell. He was taken to the City Hospital, where he now is.

Automobile Is Dismissed.

The case against W. M. Northern, 21 North Boulevard, arrested Saturday night by Patrolman Whitlock on a technical warrant charging him with driving a motor vehicle without a license, was yesterday dismissed when he was brought to the Police Court. The testimony showed that Northern was running slowly down the street when he was stopped by the police. He was released on a \$500 bond.

Protest of Petitioners.

It is set forth further that the sewer was made to empty on the complainant's property under protest from the street of land in question. The stream which flows through the property "offensive to health," and that it has made the property on both sides of the creek, in the Chancery Court, a long distance unsuitable to live or build upon.

The complainant is engaged in the business of furnishing sand and gravel to the city and to contractors. This gravel is taken from deposits on the tract of land in question. The complaint is made to the court that the pollution from the sewer has "completely destroyed" the value of the property. Many valued employees of the company, it is claimed, have refused to work under the present unsanitary conditions, causing a loss to the company of "many thousands of dollars."

The court is asked, in view of these circumstances, to enjoin the city of Richmond, which since annexation, is the corporate authority charged with responsibility for the sewer, from emptying or casting its sewerage into any stream, into or through which it will be carried into or through the complainant's property. The complainant prays also to be allowed to recover for such damages as it might suffer from the causes referred to, after the filing of the present petition.

Attorneys Samuel A. Anderson and Will Carter have been retained by the Richmond Sand and Gravel Company, and filed the necessary papers yesterday in the Chancery Court. The action for the present is in the form of a simple suit in chancery, and unless application is made for an immediate restraining order it will be placed on the docket for a hearing on the first Monday in December. It is understood that the complainant will ask for a temporary injunction.

The Richmond Land and Improvement Company is made a party defendant in the suit, with the city, because it is the owner of a tract of 47.6 acres, which the complainant sold to it from the original tract it purchased from the Richmond Locomotive Works. The Richmond Land and Improvement Company's tract is the section of the original tract that is adjacent to Highland Park, and is making use of the sewer complained of.

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Chancery Suit Instituted Against City and Adjacent Landowner.

MAY SEEK COURT INJUNCTION
Claim Drainage From Former Town of Highland Park Empties Directly on Its Property, Causing Great Damage and Preventing Its Use.

FAIRFAX HARRISON TO ADDRESS EDUCATORS
Classical Association of Virginia Meets at John Marshall High School.

TEACHERS OF GREEK AND LATIN
Fourth Annual Session of Organization Designed to Promote Study of Classics Will Be Held Here on November 27.

EVENTS OF TO-DAY
Mrs. Sallie Guld Donaldson will lecture at Miss Ellett's school, 14 North Laurel Street, at 4 o'clock, on "A Study of the War."
Concert for Belgian relief fund, 8:00 o'clock, at 200 East Franklin Street.
Concert at Grove Avenue Baptist Church, led by A. B. Hunt.
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Location of Reserve Bank
"It is possible for a city whose people believe in it to take advantage of such an opportunity to cause a permanent change in the lines of business concentration, it can only be done by the exhibition of intelligent co-operation."—A quotation from a financial paper.

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NEGOTIATIONS FOR CHURCH CONSOLIDATION

Grace Street Presbyterian and Church of Covenant May Unite.

BUILDING PLAN WITHDRAWN

East Hanover Presbyterian Approves Abandonment of Plan of Grace Street Church to Move to Boulevard and Monument Avenue.

The East Hanover Presbyterian yesterday received and approved the report of the congregation, of Grace Street Presbyterian Church on its action in withdrawing a contemplated plan of moving to Monument Avenue and erecting a new church upon that site. W. L. Walters and John W. Williams, representatives of Westminster Church, in whose neighborhood it had been planned to build a new church for the Grace Street congregation, asked the presbytery to take some definite action which would prevent the latter church from moving to that neighborhood, should it again desire to do so. This request provoked a good deal of discussion, but without definite result other than approval of the original resolution sent from the congregation of Grace Street Church that it did not wish to move to that particular location. Further action by the presbytery is to this phase of the matter is regarded as unnecessary, however, as the congregation of Grace Street Church has expressly disapproved of the proposed plan of moving to that location, and no such objection had been made.

NEGOTIATING WITH VIEW OF CONSOLIDATING

An attempt will be made at a meeting of the official bodies of the two churches on Thursday night to consolidate the congregations of Grace Street Church and the Church of the Covenant. A committee from the Church of the Covenant waited on the deacons of Grace Street Church on Sunday, and asked that a date for a conference be selected. It is said that if the two churches should consolidate that the combined congregations would build a new church somewhere in the West End.

The presbytery yesterday made several changes in some of its permanent committees. Rev. William E. Hutchinson resigned his position as chairman of the committee on Sunday-schools, and Rev. Wesley Baker was appointed in his place. Mr. Baker then resigned the chairmanship of the committee on church societies, and Rev. O. B. Bucholz was appointed in his place. Rev. William S. Campbell, Edwin Pleasant and W. R. Lecky were added to the commission appointed some time ago to organize a church at Rosemeath Chapel in the northwest section of the city. The other members of the commission are Rev. J. V. Bair, D. D. chairman, Rev. H. J. Williams, W. T. Fitzgerald and E. H. Chalkley. The commission will meet at the chapel next Sunday afternoon at 3:20 o'clock, when plans to organize the church will be made.

RICHMOND COLLEGE TAKES OVER NEW BUILDINGS

Carnel & Johnston, Supervising Architects, Formally Notified of Acceptance.

GROUP HAS COST \$863,000

Were Built Without General Contractor, Under Direct Supervision of Architects and College Trustees. Most Complete Plant in South.

Trustees of Greater Richmond College have officially accepted the new buildings at Westhampton, according to letter received yesterday by Carnel & Johnston, supervising architects, who had direct charge of the work. The total expenditures on the big educational plant amount to \$863,000, which is only \$8,000 more than the estimated cost, in itself a remarkable thing on such a large undertaking.

The buildings at Westhampton have been finished and occupied for nearly two months, but many little touches remained to be done when the first session of the co-educational school opened in September. These have been completed now, and the board of trustees, after a thorough inspection, adopted resolutions thanking the supervising architect for their work, especially in regard to keeping the cost so well within the amounts named in the original contracts.

General plans for the new college were prepared by Carnel, Goodhue & Ferguson, of Boston. Actual building operations began in June, 1911. Unlike most large pieces of work, no general contractor was selected, but the college, through its building committee, sublet all of the work, by which thousands of dollars was saved.

WHAT VARIOUS BUILDINGS

OF SYSTEM HAVE COST
The buildings at Westhampton cost as follows: women's college, \$220,000; men's dormitories, \$100,000; academic building, \$120,000; refectory, \$50,000; stadium, \$20,000; power plant, \$40,000. The mechanical equipment, light, heating and sewerage systems cost an additional \$140,000.

The college is one of the most modern educational plants in the country. In addition to the most up-to-date structures, the other features were designed especially for the school. There are specially designed aseptic free tanks and reservoirs, in addition to the regular supply from the city system. A central heating plant, which will pump hot water through the whole system of buildings, will be operated upon for heat. To aid in handling coal and material for the construction, a railroad line one mile long was constructed. Carloads of coal are brought into the power plant and dumped. The coal is dumped into the furnaces by automatic feeders, without being handled.